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Pocket Knives, Folding  
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All cast coal  
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dent Insurance Co

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it pays \$4,000 a day for losses by death  
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Glasses, with Gold, Silver, Steel  
Frames, also the largest stock of  
**LOCKS, JEWELRY,**  
Gold and Silver Head Canes,  
Solid Silver and Plated  
**Ware**  
to be found in Southern Wisconsin  
**THE LOWEST.**

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ALL KINDS !  
 & GOWDEY.



Don't go to your neighbors to borrow fish when you can get six large boxes of matches for 25 cents at East End grocery.

Lake trout and white fish steaks every day. All kinds of fresh fish at Vankirk Bros.

1,500 pounds of the finest Manduhm Java coffee at Denniston's, 28 cents per sack, 30 cents by the pound and 35 cents roasted, or 3 pounds for a dollar.

A house now renting for \$8 a month, with two good lots, in second ward, for sale for \$1,000. C. E. BOWLES.

A great many people are inquiring where they can get good tea. Just come to the East End grocery and get a pound of that at 85 cents, or 3 pounds for one dollar. It is going like hot cakes, and is just as good as most of them sell for 50 cents. At 34 East Milwaukee street.

BRACE & BROWN.

\$4,000 to loan, by C. E. BOWLES.

To RENT—A large front office in the Seashore block, over the China Tea store next to First National bank. Enquire of Mr. George Seashore.

A 180 acre farm to exchange for city property. C. E. BOWLES.

WANTED—A good competent girl to do general housework, German or Norwegian preferred. Mrs. A. C. Rice, 23 Cherry street.

Matches—Matches—6 large boxes for 25 cents. BRACE & BROWN.

\$150 buys a good lot of C. E. BOWLES.

To RENT.

Tobacco warehouse at Oregon and one at Mount Horol and flour and feed mill at Janesville.

LOVJOY & CO.

2,800 standard dollars will buy a residence property, on east side, worth \$5,000 in gold. C. E. BOWLES.

PRIVATE SALE—of household goods at No. 1 Kenilworth block, for four days.

Mrs. JOHN LIVINGSTON.

An elegant house on west side, one block from Milwaukee street, is offered for immediate sale at a great reduction from actual value. The purchaser will surely profit by the imperative necessity for its sale. C. E. BOWLES.

Read these Prices.

14 1/2 lbs. granulated sugar	1.00
15 lbs. white sugar	1.00
15 lbs. yellow sugar	1.00
22 bars O soap	1.00
22 bars K soap	1.00
5 lbs. XXX butter crackers	.25
5 lbs. oyster crackers	.25
5 lbs. dried apples	.25
5 lbs. dried peaches	.25

YAN KIRK BROS.

The interest of our patrons are carefully watched to sustain our hard earned reputation as leaders in first class clothing and popular prices. Eastern cities are already being ransacked to find the places of goods suitable for our spring and summer trade and also to pick up bargains in closing out lots for immediate use which are arriving daily.

PITCHER & ZIEGLER.

Wanted.

To rent—Two or three unfurnished rooms with or without board, by a gentleman and wife. Inquire at this office. Immediate possession not required.

Fresh lettuce, soup bunches and parsley at Denniston's.

Be sure and see the Garland stove before buying any other.

MICHAEL & GOWDREY.

C. O. D.

15 lbs. Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
15 lbs. Confectionery Sugar	1.00
15 lbs. Extra O Sugar	1.00
15 lbs. Traders O Sugar	1.00
25 lbs. Dried Apples	1.00
25 lbs. Dried Peaches	1.00
25 lbs. Dried Rice	1.00
Best Wisconsin Fat Oil	1.00
5 lbs. Gem Oyster Crackers	.25
5 lbs. XXX Butter Crackers	.25
4 lbs. Heavy Oyster Crackers	.25
4 lbs. Milk Crackers	.25
4 lbs. Frosted Creams	.25
4 lbs. Ginger Snaps	.25
4 lbs. Sweet Crackers	.25
4 lbs. Gloss Starch	.25
Best Sugar Cured Hams	1.00

All goods will be sold at the C. O. D. just as they always have been. All are invited to call and see for themselves.

F. W. CHRISTMAN.

All valuable new books received as soon as published at SUTHERLAND'S.

Wanted—Ladies and Gentlemen in city or country, to take light work, at their own homes, \$10 to \$25 a day can be easily made. Work sent by mail, no canvassing. We have good demand for our work. Address: J. H. BROWN, 200 G. COMPANY, 211 Vine St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Every lady who buys her cloaks at Archie Reid's great half-price sale of cloaks, receives one Jersey, worth from \$1.50 to \$4—free of charge.

For SALE—On easy terms, the best 217 acre openings farm in Rock County.

H. H. BLANCHARD.

Call at Sanborn & Canniff's and see the bargains they are offering in double blankets. They also have a few good coat stoves left, which they would like to exchange for cash.

Archie Reid's winter cloaks at half-price, and an elegant Jersey free of charge.

All kinds of harness, blankets and lap robes, at James A. Fathens'.

Holiday goods and playing cards at Eldredge's.

Nothing would give me more pleasure than to have you call and talk overcoats. We have them for men, youths and boys and will endeavor to fit you nicely.

Gentlemen's fur beavers at \$15.00 former price \$25.00. Call and see them.

PITCHER & ZIEGLER.

To be given away—150 Jerseys, worth from \$1.50 to \$4. Every lady purchasing a cloak at Archie Reid's great half-price sale of cloaks at Archie Reid's, will receive one Jersey free of charge.

Wolf, buffalo and goat robes, at James A. Fathens', corner Court and Main streets.

For SALE—On easy terms 140 acre farm at a great reduction. This is the best bargain in Rock County.

H. H. BLANCHARD.

## BRIEFERS.

They were walking over to weather. No more wind or weather. No more cold and fair. Ah, they were a pretty pair.

Sudden came a noise like thunder. And the crowd cried, "Stand under!" Foot snow hurled through the air. Ah, they were a dragged pair!

And his voice came loud and ringing. No love notes to her 'twas bringing. As she sat with dripping hair. Ah, they were a wretched pair.

—Boston Budget.

—Regular meeting of the common council this evening.

—Mr. L. F. Field, South Main street, is confined to his home by illness.

—February 17th is the date named by the weather prophets for the next general storm.

—The cooking school will close its session at Vankirk Bros. to-morrow. Everybody invited.

—Janesville Lodge No. 55, A. F. and A. M., regular semi-monthly communication this evening at Masonic hall.

—Half a dozen tramps visited Judge Patten this morning, and were given short sentences on bread and water.

—Mr. M. O. Smith, whose serious illness was mentioned in the Gazette last week, is reported to-day as considerably worse.

—Texas Siftings:—In Central Park: "I, the lion, want to break out. You will save me first, the children or me?" Her "Me."

—Crystal Temple of Honor No. 32 assemble in regular weekly session this evening—lodge room in the Judd block, North Main street.

—The executive committee of the Choral Union have appointed committees to arrange matters pertaining to the concert; and after their next meeting work will be commenced.

—It is earnestly requested that any resident of the first ward knowing a case of necessity will report the same to Mrs. John Winans, vice president of the Relief association of the first ward.

—The Young Ladies' Working club, of the First M. E. church, will hold a social at Joshua Hoskins, on Ruger avenue, to-morrow evening. Teams will leave the church at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Notwithstanding the poor sleighing considerable sale is being marketed, beef and pork being about the only farm products that find a ready sale.

The third agricultural show economized in feed until, in order to keep his pigs from falling through the cracks in the floor, he had to tie the knots in their tails, now looks at his neighbors' well fed animals and mourns.

—Out in Johnston there is a home rarely noteworthy in this age of short lived people, four generations now living in the same house. The family is composed of Lorenzo McKillup and wife, his father and his mother, his son Frank and his wife and their child. The great grand parents are still in good health and give promise of enjoying life for a number of years to come.

—In the fire-mile race at the rink Saturday night, Alexander came out ahead, winning by three-quarters of a lap. C. W. Smith, who took Ehrhart's place on account of the latter's sickness, is the champion long distance skater of the northwest, but on short distances he is not so good. The time made was 23:10, which was very slow for five miles, but a measurement of the floor explained this by showing the distance skated to have been somewhat over six miles.

—At seven o'clock this morning, after a brief illness of diphtheria, Gertrude daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koebler, South Main street, quietly closed her eyes in her last long sleep and her spirit returned to its heavenly home, aged eleven years. The family is sorely afflicted at this time; the father being confined to the house by severe illness, and now the death of a favorite and cherished daughter is indeed a sad bereavement, one which will call forth the warmest sympathy of a large circle of friends who have been intimate with the family for years.

—Yesterday afternoon about three o'clock, Martin, the pool player, and a Milwaukee gentleman of Hobrow descent, had a disagreement that made them entirely forget their love for each other. The trouble grew out of a private pool game between Martin and Shea, in which Shea was successful. The Jew had backed Martin, and when they met yesterday afternoon he scolded him of selling the game. This was denied, and after an exchange of high sounding adjectives, war was declared. Martin had rather the best of it, the Jew being severely punished. The disagreement affair was stopped after a few minutes, and the parties immediately made themselves scarce, thus escaping arrest.

—The Fire Police company held a special meeting on Saturday evening and decided to continue the same relief committee which acted last winter. The net proceeds of the charity was \$150. This amount will be invested in fuel and flour and distributed to the worthy poor in the various wards of the city. In the mean time it is hoped that the "Associated Charities" will be so heartily endorsed by our citizens that this new organization will be prepared to assume the responsibility and work of practical benevolence. The books of the association will be opened at an early day and 500 names should be enrolled as members without delay. This would place the organization in good condition financially and relieve the public and private individuals from supplying the wants of applicants for charity.

—The "old man" in Pek's Sun, in giving some sensible advice to girls, to the effect that one should not go to a dance unattended with the hope of "catching on" to some idiot to see her home, adds the following which is applicable to some who do not attend dances: "The practice of young men standing around a church door evenings, to see girls home, is largely indulged in, in some country places, but it is going out of style, since girls have learned to say when asked to 'see them home,' 'No, thank you, I came alone, and I will go home alone.' A young man who hasn't got manliness enough to escort a girl to church, but waits till church is out, and she has got away from the glare of the lamps where no one can see him, and then offers his elbow, is a soft headed fool, and a girl who will accept such an escort is another."

—There are many superstitious people even in this enlightened age some of them being persons who, it would be supposed, were free from a belief in ghosts or spirits. One of our citizens who was at Oshkosh last week met with a man of this kind, the meeting proving to be a lucky thing for him. He had just arrived at the hotel and was waiting for a dramatic agent, who had come in just before he to be assigned a room. The house was well filled, but number 13, the best room remaining, was placed at the disposal of the theatrical man. He knew that it was a good room, warm and well lighted, but those two figures on the door spoiled it for him. He refused to occupy it, and instead took the only one remaining, a two by four pigeon-hole without stove or register, situated just under the roof. Our Janesville friend who felt able to tackle any Oshkosh edition of bad luck, took the rejected number, thus getting comfortable quarters, where he could sit by a blazing fire and imagine how cold that little room was among the rafters was, with the thermometer outside standing at twenty below, "What fools these mortals be."

—J. G. Saxe and S. P. Hoskins have formed a partnership in the real estate and loan business for the express purpose of buying and selling real estate and loan money. S. P. Hoskins is well known in the city and throughout the country, having been a resident of the county and city for about thirty years and is a man known for his honesty and integrity and business capacity and is well posted as to the value of farming lands and city property. Mr. Saxe is also well known, having been born in this county; always lived in Rock County; has been a resident of this city for over six years, and by a strict adherence to his business and fair dealing built up a good business and his better has won the confidence of the public. These two men will make a strong team in the business. They expect to continue to merit the confidence of the public by dealing fair with all of their customers and making no misrepresentation to any who deal with them. Parties wishing to buy, sell, or trade any kind of real estate will find it to their interest to call on the above firm. This partnership is only as to the real estate and loan business. Mr. Saxe will retain to himself his fire and life insurance business, and will conduct the same as heretofore. Headquarters for real estate and loans at the insurance agency of J. G. Saxe, Smith block, Janesville, Wis.

EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY.

The Pardon of Two Sisters from a Term of Wauwanesa Jail Case.

From the Madison Journal.

"Governor Rusk issued pardons late yesterday afternoon to Mrs. Rebecca Merrick of Baraboo, and Mrs. Margaret M. Cooley, of Mitchell, Dakota, who on the 20th of last May, were sentenced by Judge Bailey, of the Madison municipal court, to serve two years in state prison for perjury. The two women are sisters, and are also sisters of the wife of James Kirby, who with his pal, Edwards, was captured in the 'old castle' in June, 1884, suspected of being burglars. A kit of burglars' tools and some stolen property were found in the possession of the men, and in November, 1884, they were found guilty in the circuit court for Dane county of burglary under A. A. Mayers' grocery store, June 16, 1884, and sentenced to serve five years in the state prison. At the trial Mrs. Merrick and Mrs. Cooley, who had been 'seen' by Mrs. Kirby, swore that they were in Baraboo the night of the Mayers burglary. Their testimony was proven to be false, and Kirby was convicted. The women were subsequently arrested for the perjury, which was most flagrant, and when they realized that the evidence of their guilt was incontrovertible, they pleaded guilty. The scene to the court at the time was touching, each mother appearing before the judge for sentence, with a babe in her arms. The deep trouble in which the distressed women were involved, caused the bitterest feeling to be engendered against the villainous Kirby, who was the direct cause of all their misery, and in imposing sentence, Judge Bailey severely scored that individual and said that a warrant for perjury would await him at the prison doors, when his present term shall have expired.

Another unhappy phase in this case now comes to pass. An hour after Governor Rusk had signed the pardons yesterday afternoon, a telegram was received by him from the mother of the two female prisoners—an aged woman living at McGregor. It was based on the belief that executive clemency had not yet been extended to her erring daughters, and said:

"Please, if possible, sign Mrs. Merrick's and Mrs. Cooley's pardons. Their sister, husband and three children were burned to death last night. Funeral will occur Sunday."

It is needless to say that the governor was gratified over the fact that the pardons had already received his signature and were ready to go to the afflicted prisoners.

Two associated press telegrams in regard to the fire are as follows:

"McGregor, Feb. 5.—Last night the house of Albert Cooley, two miles south of this town, was destroyed by fire, burning Cooley, his wife and two children and a neighbor woman, all that were in the house. The fire originated from a pile of hot coals placed against the house. Neighbors arrived while the house was yet burning, but too late to be of any service. Nothing definite is known of the horrible affair, except that the children had been sick and the parents had been up with them during the night. About morning Cooley took some coals from the stove, placed them in a shed adjoining the house and then retired. The shed took fire and finally burned the house and family. The house was a one story log with attic."

It would not be strange, if one or more of the children who perished, belonged to the pardoned mothers, as they have their little ones into the care of a sister at the time they were taken to Wauwanesa. Whether or not it was the McGregor sister, is not known.

It is rumored that the supply of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is not equal to the demand. Druggists should prepare themselves for all emergencies as the people are anxious for this remedy.

No preparation could have made such a reputation as Salvation Oil has, with-out intrinsic merit of the highest order. It kills pain. Price 25 cents.

## THE FORUM.

Mr. Saxe's Last Meeting—Episcopal Church of Rock County.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Last evening was Mrs. F. B. Stacy's last in this city and the Congregational church was crowded with interested hearers. The subject was Christ's power, the verses being taken from all parts of the bible. The first thing spoken of was Joshua's task, this being compared to the duties of Christians. How Joshua was aided in the accomplishment of his task, and Christ's willingness to help everyone was also shown. The speaker said that too many people try to reform by cutting off a bad habit here and a bad habit there instead of cutting it at the root; or by dipping mud out of the stream instead of cleansing the fountain. We should first give our hearts wholly to God and then do just as he says. She called for verses showing God's strength, and after that his mercy and tenderness. These were commented on and in closing she said that God's army was the same as our armies in some things. It has different denominations or branches of the service just as any other has, and all of these are under the same grand flag. At the conclusion of her discourse remarks were made by the pastor present, expressing their satisfaction with the meetings and their expectation of good yet to come. The revival services will not be immediately discontinued. For a few evenings they will be held in the auditorium of the Congregational church and after that they will be held for a few nights in the Baptist church. There is a possibility that Mr. Plant, a lay evangelist, from St. Paul, will conduct the services for a part of the time.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

In the morning an eloquent sermon was preached by the pastor, the Rev. M. G. Dodge, on the subject of "Paul's reasoning with Felix." The hard-heartedness shown by that officer in regard to his own salvation, was compared with that shown by many people in these days; a very practical lesson being drawn.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Rev. A. J. Van Wagner preached in the morning, he exchanging pulpits with the Rev. W. F. Brown. His sermon was an excellent one and contained many valuable ideas for the active christian.

UNITED CHURCH.

The pastor, Rev. C. M. Pullen, preached in the morning, delivering a very able sermon. Mr. Pullen commenced his labors at Evansville yesterday, he preaching there in the evening. He now has charge of both parishes and is therefore obliged to do a very large amount of work. At Evansville he takes the place of the Rev. J. B. Fion, who has been transferred to Watertown.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

A very strong temperance lecture was given here in the evening. The speaker argued in favor of prohibition, and discussed the necessity of this measure with great force and originality. A reasonably large audience listened to him, and his remarks were very favorably commented on.

Young or middle aged men, suffering from nervous debility or kindred ailments, should address with 10 cents in stamps for large treatise "World's Dispensary, Medical Association, 623 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y."

Mr. Williams at the Opera House Friday Evening.

Hon. Charles G. Williams will deliver his lecture—"Is and Ought of Congress; or the Ideal and the Real"—on Friday evening of this week. There is no doubt that the house will be crowded, as hundreds of his friends in Janesville will be glad of this opportunity to hear him. The Aberdeen (Dakota) Pioneer, speaking of the lecture says: "That which is the most admired in the lecture is the fund of knowledge imparted by the speaker. Mr. Williams was a member of congress for ten years, during a period of the most exciting times in the history of this nation, and the prominent part he took in the deliberations of that body, as well as being a close observer of men and events, has given him a fund of information of the inside workings of matters at the national capital, which, combined with the well known oratory of the distinguished speaker, makes his lecture one of the most pleasing and instructive to which we ever listened. We doubt whether any fair minded person can hear it without gaining a better knowledge of our national congress, and possessing a more abiding faith in the honor and integrity of those who compose it."

For about three years I was never clear of pain from neuralgia or rheumatism, but it is not there now since I used the Athlaphora. I consider it a very valuable medicine. Mrs. C. A. Armstrong, 123 S Second street, Terre Haute, Ind. 6.

Tobacco Sales.

Sales of seed last tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son & Co., tobacco brokers, No. 131 Water street, New York, for the week ending February 5th, 1895:

200 cases, crop of 1884, Pennsylvania Havana, \$1.85 to 1.14 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1885, Pennsylvania, 1.25 cents.

20 cases, crop of 1884, Pennsylvania, 1.25 cents.

30 cases, crop of 1884, State Havana, 1.25 cents.

300 cases, crop of 1884, Wisconsin Havana, 10 to 15 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1884, New England, at 13 to 21 cents.

Total cases, 630.

Victory at Law.

Consumption, the greatest scourge of the age, the destroyer of thousands of our brightest and best, is conquered. It is no longer incurable. Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" is a certain remedy for this terrible disease. It is a powerful and a refreshing blood purifier. It is a powerful and a refreshing blood purifier. It is a powerful and a refreshing blood purifier.

A New Tobacco Firm.

Messrs. Jeffries & Co. have leased the Hubbard block and a room adjoining on River street, and will open a general assorting tobacco warehouse for farmers. They have ample room and the business will be under the management of Mr. Nick Reed, Jr., which is sufficient guaranty that it will be well conducted. The firm will also buy some grades of goods.

From January 18th to February 18th, Archie Reid offers Jerseys free of charge to every lady purchasing her cloaks at the great half-price sale of cloaks now going on.

## FROM GEORGIA.

An Interesting Letter from a Former Resident of Rock County.

DALTON, GEORGIA, Ga., Feb. 1st, 1895.

To the Editor:

I have just received one of your papers and was glad to hear once more from old Rock county again. I was a resident of Rock county for 15 years and it does me good to hear from there occasionally. My father was a regular subscriber for the Gazette and Free Press for 15 years and it seems like an old friend. I see by the papers that you have had a cold wave up there and a small part of it came down here, which the coldest weather that was ever known here. The snow was six inches deep and it stayed with us for a week; now the frost is all out of the ground and we can run our plows.

We have the banner state of the south, and if you will give me a little space in your valuable paper I will enumerate a few of the advantages of our state, not that I want to disparage old Rock county any as I love her still though far away, but I love my adopted state better.

In the first place we have a better climate, mild winters and pleasant summers. The thermometer seldom reaches 35 degrees and the nights are always cool; then we have a long season to put in our crops and to gather them. We have plenty of the best of water. Not a farm but has its springs and running streams. No malaria as there is no stagnant water, and we have plenty of wood and timber of all kinds. We have one of the best fruit states in the Union; can raise all kinds of fruits and berries. We also have a good state to raise all kinds of stock, and we can raise all kinds of grains and vegetables that can be raised north and a great many kinds that cannot be raised there, we have good markets for everything we raise, these are a few of our state.

Lands can be bought very cheap, our lands are not as good as they are in Rock county, but with the proper cultivation can be made to produce as much.

The people are life loving, they are honest hard working and hospitable people, and any countryman is free to express his opinion here as in Rock county. There are a good many Union soldiers in this state and parties in this section are equally divided, and very little attention is paid to politics. I have no doubt that if some of the Wisconsin folk would come down and see Georgia they would settle here instead of going west, and if they would do so the Ohio farmers are doing very well in land and improved machinery. A northern or western man with the vim they have would soon make this state blossom as a rose. Now is regard to the people, they are an honest hard working and hospitable people, and any countryman is free to express his opinion here as in Rock county. There are a good many Union soldiers in this state and parties in this section are equally divided, and very little attention is paid to politics. 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